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9 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
10 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

11 WILLIAM J. RALSTON,

Civil No. 3:06-CV-5683-KLS

12 Plaintiff,

13 vs.

14 MICHAEL J. ASTRUE,  
15 Commissioner of Social Security,

ORDER FOR  
REMAND

16 Defendant.  
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18 Based on the stipulation between the parties, it is hereby ORDERED that the  
19 above-captioned case be reversed and remanded for further administrative proceedings pursuant  
20 to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g). The parties, acting through their respective counsel,  
21 hereby agree that the above-captioned case be reversed and remanded for a de novo hearing  
22 pursuant to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g). Upon remand to an Administrative Law Judge  
23 (ALJ), the ALJ will reevaluate the medical evidence. The ALJ will also reevaluate the Plaintiff's  
24 testimony, as well as, the lay witness testimony. The ALJ will reevaluate Plaintiff's residual  
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1 functional capacity and ensure that all of the limitations assessed will be incorporated into a  
2 hypothetical to a vocational expert. The ALJ will also reevaluate whether Plaintiff's previous  
3 work met the requirements for past relevant work. The ALJ will then perform a new step four,  
4 and if necessary, step five analysis. The parties agree that reasonable attorney fees should be  
5 awarded, upon proper application, pursuant to the Equal Access to Justice Act, 28 U.S.C. §  
6 2412. DATED this 18<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2007.

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11 Karen L. Strombom  
12 United States Magistrate Judge

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